

Amendment and Response

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
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Patent Application**Inventor:** JACOB, Rojit**Examiner:** COLEMAN, Eric**Group Art Unit:** 2183**Serial No.:** 10/765,556**Docket No.:** 021202-003820US10 **Filed:** January 26, 2004**Entitled:** SYSTEM AND METHOD USING EMBEDDED MICROPROCESSOR
AS A NODE IN AN ADAPTABLE COMPUTING MACHINE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks**25 **P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****Dear Sir:**30 **In response to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2006, Applicants
hereby respectfully submit the following Amendment and Response. A petition and fee
for a three-month extension of time in which to respond, and an executed power of
attorney, is also being filed concurrently herewith.**35 **In the event of non-payment or improper payment of any required fee, the
Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 501,262 as may
be required to correct the error.**40 **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.